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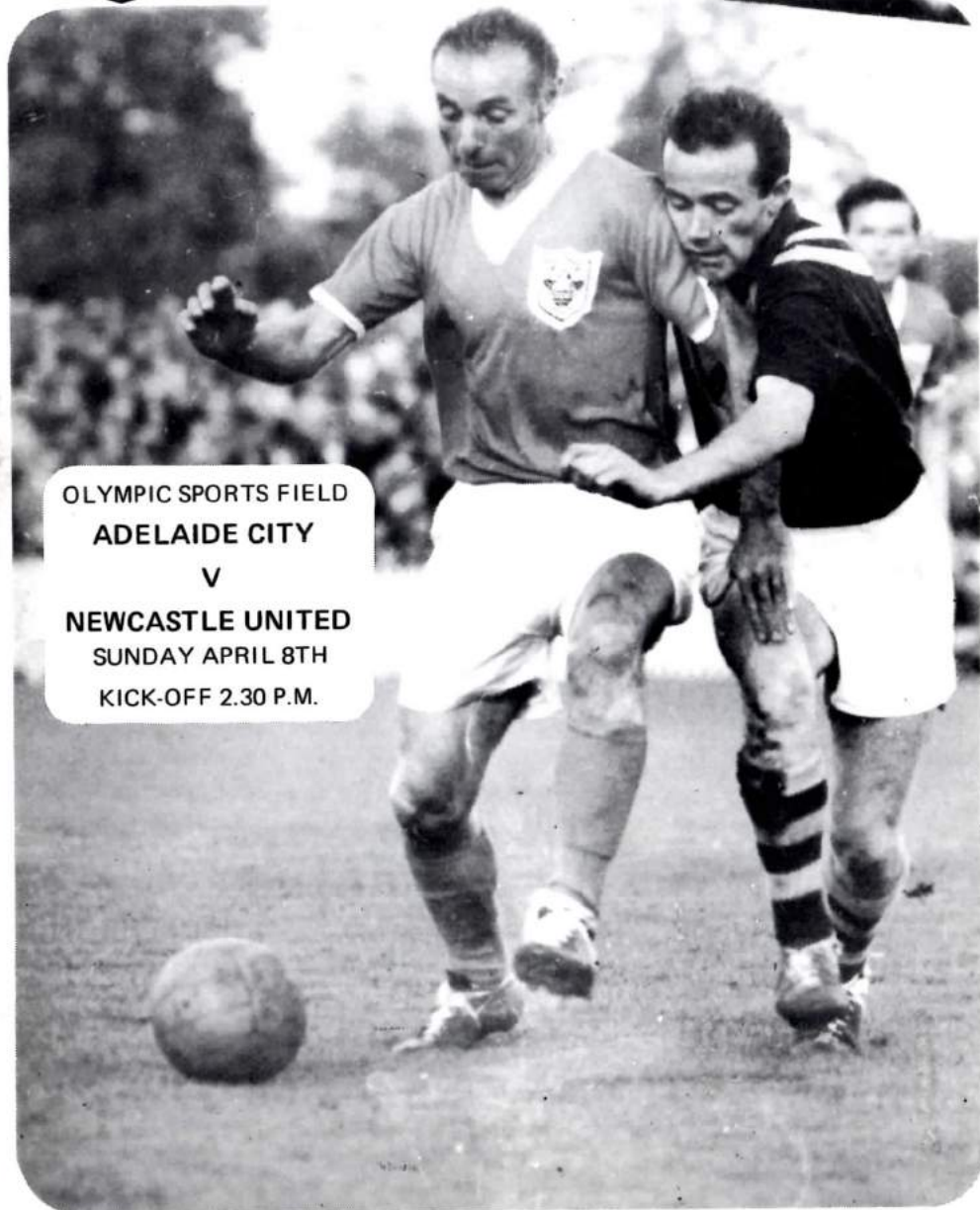
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Talk of Kensington

- **OUR COVER:** Sir Stanley Matthews, a legend in football for three decades, frustrated many a defender during his career with his subtle ball skills. But he found former Juventus star Fulvio Pangani a stumbling block when he toured Australia with Blackpool back in 1958. Full story in this week's Soccer Flashback on page 10.
- **STORK NEWS:** Club stalwart Otto Trento is the proud father of bouncing baby boy, Leon David, born at the Queen Elizabeth Hospital two weeks ago. Otto and his wife, Teresa, have another son, Alexander, who turned one last week.
- **GRATITUDE:** A staunch City supporter, elated at Dixie Deans' hatrick in our 3-2 win over Sydney City, sent Dixie a cheque. It was a modest amount but a tremendous gesture that should make other fans sit up and take notice.
- **CONGRATULATIONS!:** Charlie Horvath, one of South Australia's greatest goalkeepers since the war, celebrates his forty-second birthday today. It still only seems like yesterday that Charlie was between the Juventus posts, thwarting and frustrating opposing strikers with his uncanny aerial reflexes. Charlie, now a staff coach with Adelaide City, will be featured in our next issue in Soccer Flashback.
- **SOCCEROO:** Agenor Muniz has forced his way back into the national squad following his brilliant form against Sydney City. Muniz is likely to play in trial games against PSL clubs and State combinations, which will be played midweek during the year.
- **RETIREMENT:** Veteran stopper Frank Lister has announced his retirement from the Phillips League. After nine years with local club Croatia, Frank joined Juventus where he played for eight seasons, including two in the PSL. Negotiations are underway with Para Hills for a transfer.

AWAY GAME DETAILS

WHAT A THRILLER!

Adelaide City 4 — Marconi 4

Adelaide City's hoodoo over Marconi continued in Sydney last weekend when both sides fought out a thrilling draw.

Since the inception of the Philips League Marconi has never been able to beat City. The score so far stands at three wins (4-0 and 1-0 in 1977 and 4-0 in 1978) and two draws (1-1 last season and last week's 4-4).

In almost a repeat performance of the Sydney City match a fortnight earlier, Adelaide City overcame a 12th minute goal from Marconi's Eddie Krncevic to rattle on three goals in a space of six minutes!

The chief destroyer in a scintillating first half was mercurial Dixie Deans who netted twice and laid on a pass for Johnny Nyskohous to score.

Deans' first goal came in the 30th minute when he trapped a cross from winger Chris Kent on his chest and easily slotted the ball past Marconi keeper Allan Maher.

It was vintage Deans again three minutes later when he volleyed a superb cross from Nyskohous. Deans repayed the compliment a minute later when he headed a Jim Muir corner on the far post down to Nyskohous to slip into the net.

City was in full command and continually swept forward, forcing the Marconi defence into errors.

Inconsistent refereeing from Sydney's

Peter Rampley paved the way for a Marconi comeback shortly after the break.

Rampley awarded a penalty in the 56th minute when Jim Muir was adjudged to have pushed an opponent in an aerial duel. Gary Byrne converted the spot kick to make it 3-2.

City hit back when Deans started a move for Agenor Muniz to fire a fierce drive from 25 metres that gave Maher no chance.

City seemed to be coasting to an easy victory when Rampley awarded Marconi a dubious penalty in the 78th minute after Mark Jankovics was 'felled' in the box. With time running out for Marconi, Byrne made no mistake.

In the third minute of injury time, Marconi managed to pull out a face-saving draw when Bertie Mariani weaved through the City defence to beat Peter Marshall.

Deans once again emerged in the spotlight with his two goals, making him the current PSL topscorer with six.

However, City was dealt a heavy blow only nine minutes from the end when defender Bobby Russell was forced off the field with a dislocated shoulder. He is expected to be out for at least two matches.



Around the world



Superstar Keegan in action against Italy's Tardelli. . . he wants Simonsen

The possibility of crack foreign imports Kevin Keegan and Alan Simonsen teaming up with the Hamburger Sport Verein in German is looking far more than a possibility.

The diminutive Dane's contract with Borussia Munchengladbach expires in a couple of months and there is no chance the contract will be renewed. Keegan has already expressed his interest and Simonsen says that 'it would be an honour and a pleasure to play with Keegan'.

So all that remains is for the respective financiers to haggle over the price. A figure of 200,000 a year for Simonsen is being discussed.

It appears that not even a change of government or even another series of spring blizzards can save Chelsea F.C. from the drop back into the Second Division.

With only 10 games still to play, Chelsea are firmly rooted at the foot of the table with 15 points, six less than third last Q.P.R. who have played a game more. On Thursday last they slumped to one of their worst defeats of the season with a 6-0 hiding at Nottingham Forest, with five of the goals coming in the second half. Chelsea's recent signing, goalkeeper Peter Barota from Yugoslavia tried all he knew to keep Nottingham at bay with a series of superb saves but his agility was not enough as the brittle Chelsea defence crumbled in the second half. Looked at philosophically it was good target practice for the Nottingham forwards in preparation for their European Cup Semi-Final Clash next month against F.C. Cologne from West Germany.

It appears that the press has been upsetting the soccer world in various ways. In Spain, players and officials of the Barcelona Club have placed an embargo on the press because of repeated misquoted incidents in newspapers and magazines.

In Britain, Brian Clough, Manager of League Champions Nottingham Forest has had so many clashes with reporters that he seldom gives interviews nowadays for fear of being misquoted. But Clough, a committed socialist, doesn't hate all reporters. When 28 journalists on the Nottingham evening paper were dismissed recently, Clough placed an immediate freeze on all news to the local paper.

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Newcastle came to Adelaide as early season front runners with 7 points from their four matches. Coached by former New Zealand national player/coach Alan Vest, Newcastle can boast an impressive line-up.

PHIL DANDO (26) Goalkeeper. Joined Newcastle after season with Brisbane Lions. A former Liverpool player, in England, Dando didn't miss a game last season.

PETER WILLIS (21) Right Fullback. Former Leeds United, Preston and Halifax town defender. Only missed one game last season. Loves to overlap when Newcastle press forward.

COL CURRAN (31) Left Fullback. Member of Australian World Cup team in Germany in '74. Joined Newcastle from Western Suburbs. A great attacking fullback is particularly dangerous from set pieces.

BILL SUMMERSCALES (30) Central Defender. Left England after more than 300 league appearances with professional clubs to join Newcastle. A great competitor - didn't miss a game last season.

ROY DRINKWATER (25) Central Defender. Began Philips Soccer career with Brisbane Lions after playing in England and

New Zealand. Another Newcastle player who didn't miss a match last year.

IAN SEDDON (27) Midfielder. One of Newcastle's new imports. Former Bolton and Chester professional. Played with Wigan Athletic in '77 before transferring to Newcastle.

KENNY BODEN (28) Striker. Topped Philips Soccer League last year with 14 League and one Cup goal. Won P.S.L. and Soccer Action player of the Year awards. Didn't miss a game last season.

GRAHAM HEYS (22) Winger. Former Macclesfield Town and Altringham player in English Northern Premier League. England Youth International at both Amateur and English Schools level. Joined Newcastle this season.

PETER TREDINNICK (18) Winger. Australian Under 19 International who began with Newcastle about half way through season. Trialled with Middlesbrough in England two years ago. Is a second year student at Newcastle University.

JOHN SNEDDON (26) Midfielder or Defender. Joined Newcastle as a defender but finished season as a defensive midfielder. Former Northern New South Wales representative and Captain of the West Wallsend Club.

PREVIOUS GAMES	NEWCASTLE vs ADELAIDE CITY	1977	2 - 2
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THE END OF THE
SEASON

PLAYER PROFILE

DIXIE'S OUT TO PROVE THEM WRONG

A year ago Dixie Deans' chequered career was at the crossroads.

The former Celtic and Scottish international was propped up in a hospital bed contemplating his future.

What was to be a six month sojourn in Scotland after a successful season for Adelaide City in the inaugural Philips League season turned to heartbreak.

Injuries from a car accident left him partially blind in one eye and emotionally shaken . . . yet he was determined to prove he wasn't finished as a player.

It is a measure of Deans' tremendous fighting spirit that he returned to play for City midway through last season, despite an impossible struggle to regain match fitness and striking form.

Yet even down on his luck, this likeable Scot remained the most popular figure at Olympic Sports Field, the uncrowned king of Adelaide City and the one man who could spark a team to great heights.

Dixie is determined to make 1979 his year and make former City and now Marconi coach Les Scheinflug, eat his words.

'I'm out to prove just how wrong he was. There were rumours going around that Dixie Deans was blind and finished as a player,' said Dixie.

'Well my eyesight is as good as ever. I've never been fitter. In fact I feel fantastic, the same way I felt when I was at my peak with Celtic.

'I'm not afraid to admit I'm 32 but I feel like I was 27 again.'

Dixie attributes his new-found enthusiasm to manager-coach Rale Rasic, whom he rates as the Jock Stein of Australia.

'In Britain players called Jock, God. As far as soccer goes in Australia, Rale is God,' said Dixie.

'Unlike Scheinflug, Rale treats us like his sons, just like Jock Stein did with Celtic. He's a fantastic motivator and has the respect of every player in the squad.'

Dixie's determined to bag at least 20 goals this season and finish six ahead of his nearest rival.

'My game is to score goals. It gives me



one helluva thrill to excite the fans after I've scored,' he confessed openly.

Dixie was born in Paisley, Scotland, and began his professional career with Motherwell in the Premier League in 1965. He later moved to Celtic for six seasons, Luton Town, Calao and Partrick Thistle before joining Adelaide City in 1977.

He was capped twice for Scotland in 1974 and has also represented South Australia in two internationals.

REAL NAME: John 'Dixie' Deans.

FAMILY DETAILS: Wife Pat, children John 10, Paul 7, and Joanne 5.

HOBBIES: Soccer and eight-ball.

HIGHLIGHT OF CAREER: Being capped for Scotland in 1974 for the match against West Germany. Scotland won 2-0.

BIGGEST KICK OUT OF BEING A FOOTBALLER: Being able to please the fans.

AMBITION: To be a happy family man and get a lot more out of soccer.

TEAMS I MOST LIKE CITY TO BEAT: Marconi - I don't like Les Scheinflug.

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SOCCER FLASHBACK

THE MAN
WHO
STOPPED
MATTHEWS



● Fulvio Pagani (extreme left) leads out the Australian team flanked by Blackpool for the International at Adelaide Oval in March, 1958.

When the legendary Sir Stanley Matthews toured Australia with Blackpool in March 1958, thousands turned out to watch the wizard's sizzling ball skills.

Although Matthews was well into his 40s by then, he was still a member of the England team and hadn't lost the awesome reputation for carving defences to pieces.

It was a reputation which was to haunt young Juventus and Australian full back Fulvio Pagani up until the moment he faced Matthews in the international against Blackpool at Adelaide Oval.

Pagani was only a toddler of 7 when he first heard about this remarkable Englishman. Now, many years later, there he was assigned the task of marking his boyhood hero!

Not only was there a reputation to contend with, but there was at least 20 years difference in experience between them.

And what made matters worse for Pagani, he realised just about everybody was there anticipating Matthews would weave an humiliating path through the Australian defence.

Overwhelmed by it all, Pagani became a victim of nerves and haplessly watched Matthews systematically destroy the Australians' confidence in an opening 20 minute burst of electrifying football.

But to the chagrin of Matthews and Blackpool, Pagani regained his composure and effectively marked the star out of the game.

In a tightly contested struggle Blackpool went on to beat Australia 1-0, but it

was Fulvio Pagani who emerged the real hero.

And just to prove it wasn't Matthews having an 'off day', Pagani repeated his stirring performance a week later in a return match in Melbourne!

'He really was magic; the greatest player I had ever come up against,' Pagani recalled.

'But I relaxed and realised the only way to stop him was to anticipate his every move and stick to him like glue. It worked and I played two of my best games.'

Pagani began his career with Italian third division club Andrio before migrating to Adelaide in 1955 and joining Juventus.

Within six months of his arrival he was selected in the Australian team to meet Ferencarvos. For about four years Pagani was an automatic selection for both the national and state teams.

Pagani was Juventus' first player to receive life membership, an honour bestowed on him after a 14-year career. He was 37 years old when he hung up his boots for the last time in 1968.

Pagani has many vivid memories from those years but the period he perhaps remembers the best was Juventus' 'golden era' from 1956 to '59 when they won four championships and went unbeaten for the last three.

'That team could give today's PSL side a run for its money,' Fulvio quipped with a wide grin and a wink.

MY VIEW by Rale Rasic



Just how much does the game of football give to its loyal supporters or, for that matter, clubs to "socios", as the Latins refer to members?

Unlike Adelaide, Sydney clubs are manipulated by the immense source of revenue from poker machines and boards of directors who dictate where the money should be spent.

The Sydney clubs are giants financially but one gets the impression they may be selling their socios short by not channelling back funds to provide them with additional facilities and incentives to renew membership annually.

Overseas, particularly in Spain and South America, the big professional clubs take pride in repaying compliments to the many socios who turn out for each game and undertake family membership.

A prime example is Real Madrid, perhaps one of finest clubs I've ever seen administration-wise.

Like Bocca Juniors in South America, Real Madrid provide unbelievable facilities for members and their families. There's swimming pools, gymnasiums, tennis and squash courts.

Real Madrid even organise an end-of-season match free of charge to their supporters. They fly in a top club from Europe and absorb the costs themselves.

If we did those sorts of things here, I imagine there would be thousands on the waiting list wanting to join.

Of course, we have a long way to go but here at Adelaide City we have "socios" that I undoubtedly believe will take this club to the top, regardless of financial limitations.

The difference between our club and those poker-subsidised ones in Sydney is that we can find alternative means of revenue resources and - irrespective of their capacity within the mechanism of administration - do this in an atmosphere of super unity.

What this club has achieved in such a short period is phenomenal and our socios should be proud of what has already been done and what is planned for the future.

I can't say how much I am impressed with the way our socios go about their work voluntarily, people like Charlie Horvath and Mario Tadeo who sacrificed their weekend last week to paint our dressing rooms in the club's colors.

Those poker machine clubs would be surprised at just what we can do.

I'd like to finish with a quote from photographer Anton Cermak that really bowled me over with pleasure and appreciation.

Anton, who supplied most of the pictures in our photo gallery, told me in Sydney last weekend: "After your great victory over Sydney City I said to myself 'It was worth doing all that work for such a great club' "

THE ADELAIDE CITY MATCH I'LL NEVER FORGET

We invite supporters to write in to us with their recollections of the best Adelaide City games they have seen in the past. The best will be published in future editions of the Adelaide City Official Programme.

FIXTURES 1979

Philips League

Date	Opponents	Venue	Result	Goalscorers	Attendance
March 11	BRISBANE CITY	HOME	L 2-4	Deans, Kent	5229
March 18	Sydney City	Away	W 3-2	Deans 3	1500
March 25	APIA	HOME	L 0-1		5176
April 1	Marconi	Away	D 4-4	Deans 2, Muniz	3242
April 8	NEWCASTLE UTD	HOME		Nyskohous, J.	
April 15	St. George	Away			
April 22	SYD OLYMPIC	HOME			
April 29	Footscray	Away			
May 6	FITZROY	HOME			
May 13	South Melbourne	Away			
	CANBERRA CITY	HOME			
	West Adelaide	Away			
	Brisbane Lions	Away			
	SYDNEY CITY	HOME			
	Brisbane City	Away			
	MARCONI	HOME			
	A.P.I.A.	Away			
	Newcastle United	Away			
	ST. GEORGE	HOME			
	Sydney Olympic	Away			
	FOOTSCRAY	HOME			
	Fitzroy	Away			
	SOUTH MELB.	HOME			
	Canberra City	Away			
	WEST ADELAIDE	HOME			
	BRISBANE LIONS	HOME			

Philips Cup

April 25	1st Round	WEST ADELAIDE	HOME	Oct. 7	1st Round
	2nd Round			Oct. 14	2nd Round
	3rd Round			Oct. 21	3rd Round
August 12	Semi Finals			Oct. 28	Final First Leg
Sept. 30	Final			Nov. 4	Final Second Leg

Because of the uncertainty surrounding the two International planned for 1979 it is not possible to provide dates for all fixtures. These tables will be completed as information comes to hand.

Philips Table

	P	W	D	L	F	A	BP	TP
NEWCASTLE UNITED	4	3	1	0	10	4	0	7
Brisbane City	4	3	0	1	9	7	0	6
Footscray	4	2	1	1	8	5	0	5
Sydney City	4	2	0	2	9	8	1	5
Canberra City	4	2	1	1	8	7	0	5
West Adelaide	4	2	1	1	3	3	0	5
Sydney Olympic	4	2	9	2	5	3	0	4
Marconi	4	1	1	2	9	8	1	4
South Melbourne	4	1	2	1	5	5	0	4
Heidelberg	4	1	2	1	5	8	0	4
ADELAIDE CITY	4	1	1	2	9	11	0	3
Brisbane Lions	4	1	0	3	5	8	0	2
Apia	4	1	0	3	2	6	0	2
St. George	4	1	0	3	5	12	0	2

BP means bonus points for wins by four goals or more.

TP means league and bonus points added.

Appearances

	79	78	77	Total
B. NORTHCOTE	4	25	25	54
J. PERIN	4	24	25	53
J. NYSKOHOU	4	24	24	52
G. MAROCCHI	1	18	25	44
A. MUNIZ	3	16	18	37
B. NYSKOHOU	4	26	5	35
D. DEANS	4	11	19	34
S. MELTA	3	8	21	32
P. MARSHALL	4	22	5	31
R. MARWE	4	16	-	20
J. MUIR	4	12	-	16
B. RUSSELL	4	-	-	4
G. DODS	4	-	-	4
C. KENT	4	-	-	4
J. BESIR	1	-	-	1

Goalscorers

	79	78	77	Total
D. DEANS	6	4	16	26
J. NYSKOHOU	1	7	9	17
G. MAROCCHI	-	5	6	11
B. NORTHCOTE	-	4	7	11
A. MUNIZ	1	3	2	6
J. MUIR	-	3	-	3
S. MELTA	-	1	1	2
B. NYSKOHOU	-	1	-	1
C. KENT	1	-	-	1



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PANGALLO AND PIERRE VICARY.

THANKS TO CITY

I am writing to thank City for the kind offer you made to allow us to see the Adelaide City-Brisbane City game at the Hindmarsh Stadium recently. We all enjoyed the game both as spectators and as a social occasion. We sat right at the front, so our view was tremendous; it sure was an exciting game, especially when the goals were scored, though we wish Adelaide City had won. We tried, and that's the important thing. Soccer is a lot more interesting than football and it has a lot more skill. The way they head the ball - I would use up a lot of Disprin that way!

I have always been interested in soccer and I thank you for giving me one of the happiest times in my life. I hope to keep in touch.

DEBBIE AMOS on behalf of my class at the
Oaklands Primary School in Adelaide.

it's phenomenal!

Reaction to the new look Adelaide City magazine was excellent and a sure sign of the tremendous support City can count on but it appears that we still have a long long way to go. Take Chelsea F.C. for example - 616,538 spectators went through the turnstiles to watch 20 home matches and a massive 610,593 programmes were sold. That's an average of 99 per cent.

Obviously City can't match those sort of figures but one programme per spectator is surely a worthwhile objective. So keep buying the programme and let your friends know about it as well.

Remember too that each programme is numbered and that numbers are called every home match just after the end of half time. There are several winners each week.

Don't forget to collect the coupons on the letters page of each magazine. Collect all 13 (possibly more if City play at home in the Cup or Final Four Series) and you could be eligible for a major prize at the end of the season. Details of prizes will be announced in this magazine in the next few weeks.



He's back better than ever. . . Dixie Deans shows his style despite close attention from Apia's Ray Richards and Warren Turnball (left).



THE SPORTSMAN'S BEER

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1. Greg Woodhouse saves at the near post. Wilson & Deans look on,



2. Woodhouse saving Deans' 19th minute penalty.

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ITALIAN SOCCER

The big news from Italy this week is that the on-off-on again tour of Australia by the crack First Division Club and current league leader A.C. Milan will now probably be going ahead.

The latest report (at least we think it's the latest) is that the Marconi Club in Sydney has come to the rescue to fill the gap left by the N.S.W. Soccer Federation's refusal to stage a game against Milan. When one bears in mind that the last major Italian team to tour Australia was A.C. Roma and they attracted a massive 44,000 to Olympic Park in Melbourne and N.S.W. has an Italian population of about 300,000, it seems an amazing decision by the N.S.W. Soccer Federation. We will include further details and hopefully match dates as they come to hand. A game in Adelaide is definitely on the agenda.

Meanwhile in Italy, it appears that the fuss over the proposed trip to Australia is causing jitters in the A.C. Milan camp.

A.C. Roma, the proud First Division Club eased some of their relegation worries with an impressive 3-0 home win in the Olympic Stadium against Vicenza.

Because of modernisation of the famous San Siri Stadium in Milan, shared by both A.C. and Inter Milan, the stadium's capacity has been reduced to 50,000. As there are 16,000 season ticket holders only 34,000 go on sale each weekend, fetching black market prices at least twice the face value.

Italian goalkeeper Dino Zoff is annoyed when reporters harp about his 37 years. I'm not even the oldest goalie in the first division he says. Albertosi of A.C. Milan and Pizzaballa of Atlanta are both older. When I step down from the Italian team I expect either Paolo Conti of A.C. Roma or Ivano Bordon of Inter Milan to take my place between the posts. But they'll have to wait a while. I'll be in goal for the 1980 European National Championships!

Last Weekend

Ascoli	1	Juventus Turin	0
Atlanta	0	Inter Milan	1
Catanzaro	0	Bologna	0
Fiorentina	1	Avellino	0
A.C. Milan	0	Napoli	1
A.C. Roma	3	Vicenza	0
Torino	0	Perugia	0
Verona	2	Lazio Roma	0

Top Six

FIRST DIVISION TABLE AFTER 24 ROUNDS

1. A.C. MILAN	24	14	7	3	36	15	35
2. PERUGIA	24	9	15	0	25	11	33
3. INTER MILAN	24	8	15	1	32	17	31
4. TORINO	24	10	11	3	32	17	31
5. JUVENTUS	24	10	10	4	27	15	30
6. NAPOLI	24	6	13	5	18	16	25

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SOCIAL NOTES

HELP WANTED

Active club members to participate with more enthusiasm in maintaining a diversity of club's functions. Sub-committees in fund raising avenues are always welcomed and most appreciated when new ideas are introduced.

A very successful Bingo Committee would like to increase its current committee to help lighten the burden of the few who seem to be carrying too much weight.

Likewise, a fund raising committee, chairman being Mr. W. Iasiello, would appreciate more help from the younger supporters of the club. It would appear that this sector of support is almost non-existent, perhaps dormant?

Consequently, if there are supporters, who wish to arrange for appointments to either consult Mr. Iasiello or myself, please feel free to approach us at club functions and express your views or displeasures in the management of your Social Calendar.

How about establishing a Youth Committee to provide for more activity for the teenagers, who, I feel, have been neglected in the PAST.

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INSTANT BINGO

Seeing so many Big prizes going into people's pockets at the mere investment of 25 cents, it makes one cry to see how easy it really is to have so much fun and at the same time supporting the club.

INVEST in the club activities, help become an active participant in maintaining the club which belongs to all members.

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FORTHCOMING EVENT

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BRUNO BIASI

PSL Review

CUP SHOCK

In an amazing turnabout, Adelaide's two Philips League clubs West Adelaide and Adelaide City will meet in the first round of the Philips Cup on April 25.

The Adelaide clubs and their supporters were under the impression that each would be seeded while the four State League clubs, including one from Western Australia, played against each other.

This is despite assurances by Philips League manager Mr. John Frank last year that the draw for this year's competition would be revised so that PSL clubs would not necessarily meet each other in opening rounds.

Before this Cup competition becomes a total farce, the Phillips League management should seriously consider following the English FA's system of cup pairings.

The weaker amateur clubs are paired against each other in the opening rounds before the stronger professional sides take part.

The beauty of it all is that the FA Cup is always a random draw. Not only does it make the competition more exciting but gives it a lot more prestige as clubs strive to overcome the odds.

The Philips Cup should not deteriorate to the stage where rules are bent to please State clubs who cry "unfair".

ADELAIDE CITY v. WEST ADELAIDE; SA No. 2 v. Kingsway Olympic (WA); SA No. 1 v. SA No. 3; Brisbane Lions v. Southside Eagles (QLD); Brisbane City v. St. George Souths (Qld); St. George (NSW) v. Ipswich (Qld); Croatia (NSW) v. Apia (NSW); Sydney City v. Auburn (NSW); Melita Eagles (NSW) v. Marconi (NSW); Sutherland (NSW) v. Sydney Olympic; Edgworth Eagles (Nth. NSW) v. Newcastle United; Canberra City v. West Woden (ACT); St. Kilda (Vic) v. Essendon (Vic); Heidelberg (Vic) v. South Melbourne; George Cross (Vic) v. Footscray (Vic); Preston (Vic) v. White Eagles (Tas).

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- 16 JOHN BESIR
- 12 GLENN DODS
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- 5 BUGSY NYSKOHOU
- 6 SERGIO MELTA
- 8 BRIAN NORTHCOTE
- 9 DIXIE DEANS
- 10 JOHN NYSKOHOU
- 11 CHRIS KENT
- 14 ROBERT MARWE
- 13 GARRY MAROCCHI
- 17 CHARLEY VILLANI
- 20 RICK MIGLIACCIO

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NEXT WEEK :

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- 1 PHIL DANDO
- 2 PETER WILLIS
- 19 MAL MC CLELLAND
- 15 COL CURRAN
- 5 BILL SUMMERSCALES
- 6 ROY DRINKWATER
- 22 BRETT COUBURN
- 8 IAN SEDDON
- 9 KENNY BODEN
- 10 GRAHAM HEYS
- 21 KEITH HARRIS
- 16 PETER TREDDENICK
- 14 JOHN SEDDON

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